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In re Patent Application of:
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For: REFLECTIVE CHOLESTERIC LIQUID
CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR THE
SAME

Examiner: Jeanne A. Di Grazio

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 18, 2005, wherein pending claims 1, 3-8 and 10-14 have been rejected, Applicant respectfully requests favorable reconsideration in view of the remarks presented below.

On page 3 of the Office Action, the Examiner rejects claims 1, 3-8 and 10-14 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as allegedly being unpatentable over Applicant's Related Art ("Related Art") in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,682,212 to Maurer et al. ("Maurer"). Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection.

In order to support a rejection under 35 U.S.C. §103, the Examiner must establish a *prima facie* case of obviousness. To establish a *prima facie* case of obviousness three criteria must be met. First, there must be some motivation to modify the cited references. Second, there must be a reasonable expectation of success. Finally, the modification must teach each and